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13 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**
14 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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16 In re

17 LEOPOLDO ALMODOVAR DIMAGUILA and
18 TERESITA RAGRAGIO DIMAGUILA,
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20 Debtors.
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CASE NO: 2-17166-bk-RK

Chapter 7

APPLICATION BY CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE
TO EMPLOY GENERAL BANKRUPTCY
COUNSEL [11 U.S.C. §327(a),
Fed. R. Bank. P. 2014 and Loc. Bankr. R. 2014-
1(b)(2)]

Date: [To be determined]

Time: [To be determined]

Place: U.S. Courthouse 255 E. Temple St. Los
Angeles, CA 90012

22 **TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT KWAN, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY**
23 **JUDGE, THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRUSTEE, THE DEBTOR AND OTHER**
24 **PARTIES IN INTEREST:**

25 **C**omes now Wesley H. Avery, the duly appointed and acting Chapter 7 Trustee (the "Trustee") of
26 the bankruptcy estate of Leopoldo Almodovar Dimaguila and Teresita Ragragio Dimaguila (the
27 "Estate") of the above-captioned Debtors Leopoldo Almodovar Dimaguila and Teresita Ragragio
28 Dimaguila, (the "Debtors"), in Case No. 2-17166-bk-RK (the "Bankruptcy Case"), who hereby

APPLICATION BY CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE TO EMPLOY GENERAL BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL

1 applies (the "Application") to Georgeann Hunter Nicol and The Law Office of Georgeann Hunter
2 Nicol ("Nicol" or "Counsel"), as the Trustee's general bankruptcy counsel as of July 20, 2017
3 pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § ("Section") 327(a).

4 The Application is made on the basis of the following facts:

5 1. The Debtor filed a voluntary chapter 7 petition on June 12, 2017. On or about June 12,
6 2017. Wesley H. Avery was appointed as the Chapter 7 Trustee for the case.

7 2. In his schedules, the Debtor listed a real property with the value of \$550,000.00 and with
8 indebtedness of \$378,000.00 and with the debtors exempting \$175,000. The actual value of the
9 property is approximately \$650,000.00. Therefore, on the valuation of the property, the Bankruptcy
10 Estate is likely to realize a benefit of approximately \$97,000.00

11 3. Further, the Debtors failed to list any vehicles or bank accounts of any kind in their
12 schedules along with unlisted vacant land that they are on title to located in Mount Waterman,
13 California. The Trustee needs to retain counsel to determine the full value of these assets and to
14 liquidate the Estate's ownership in same. It is also necessary and appropriate to employ Counsel to
15 offer legal advice to the Trustee and to prosecute any other actions related to the administration of the
16 Estate.

17 4. Counsel was not paid a retainer, and may only be compensated as approved by this Court
18 upon written notice to creditors pursuant to Section 330(a). The hourly rate of Nicol is \$400.00 per
19 hour and her colleague Adam Stevens' (Stevens) rate is \$350.00.

20 5. As demonstrated by the attached Statement of Disinterestedness, Counsel has no
21 connection with the Debtors, nor do they hold or represent an interest adverse to the Estate and,
22 therefore, is disinterested within the meaning of Section 101. Nicol and Stevens resumes are attached
23 as **Exhibit A**.

1 6. Counsel has agreed and the Trustee proposes that Counsel's compensation from the Estate
2 shall be subject to prior Court approval after services are rendered and based on the availability of
3 funds in the Estate for payment of said compensation. Counsel proposes to charge the Estate lawyer's
4 fees, and to seek reimbursement of actual out-of-pocket expenses, at rates as set forth herein below. It
5 is intended by the Parties that this Application and the Court's order approving it shall constitute the
6 agreement between them. It is further agreed that all payments for attorney's fees and reimbursement
7 of expenses of Counsel shall be paid from the Estate's funds, as, when, and if such funds become
8 available and the Court approves disbursement thereof pursuant to Section 330(a).

10 7. Counsel also proposes to charge the Estate for her actual and necessary out-of-pocket
11 expenses for long distance telephone calls, messenger charge, overnight mail costs, postage, parking
12 expenses, court reporters' fees, VARS charges for transcripts of hearings, charges by the clerk of the
13 Bankruptcy Court, witness and mileage fees as required by statute, and expenses for service of
14 process when necessary. Additionally, Counsel proposes to charge as out-of-pocket expenses the
15 following items at the following rates:

17 Facsimile \$1.00 per page
18 Photocopies \$.20 per page
19 Mileage Standard IRS mileage rate.

20 8. Notice of this Application has been given in accordance with the rules of this Court. (See
21 **Exhibit B** attached hereto.) Exhibit B includes a disclosure that approval of employment is to be
22 effective as of July 20, 2017. The reason why approval of employment has been requested effective
23 July 20, 2017 is because that is about when Counsel began rendering services.

24 9. To the best of Applicant's knowledge, as reflected in the Declaration attached hereto,
25 Applicant believes that neither Nicol or Stevens have any connection with the Debtor, the creditors,
26 or any other party in interest, or their respective attorneys or accountants, or the United States Trustee
27 or any person employed in the office of the United States Trustee.
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1 10. Counsel has not received a lien or interest in property of the Debtor or third parties with
2 respect to its representation of the Trustee. No agreement exists for a division of fees between
3 Counsel and any other person or entity except as among the members of the Counsel.

4 11. There is no agreement between the Trustee and Counsel regarding Counsel's employment
5 in this case other than as expressed in the within Application.
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7 12. To the best of Applicant's knowledge and belief, Counsel has no present connection with
8 any party in interest, and holds no interest adverse to those of Debtor or of the Estate in the matters
9 upon which she is to be employed and her employment is in the best interest of this Estate.

10 **WHEREFORE**, Trustee prays for orders as follows:

11 A. That the Application is granted;

12 B. That the employment of Counsel, as of July 20, 2017 is approved under Section
13 327 (a) as the Trustee's general bankruptcy counsel;

14 C. For such other and further relief that the Court deems just and proper.
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17 DATED: July 26, 2017


Wesley H. Avery, Chapter 7 Trustee

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19 The undersigned agrees to all of the above.

20 By: // Georgeann Hunter Nicol
21 Georgeann Hunter Nicol, Esq.
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EXHIBIT A

GEORGEANN HUNTER NICOL
Curriculum Vitae

EDUCATION & CREDENTIALS

- **Juris Doctor**, Glendale University College of Law - Glendale, CA
- **Bachelor of Arts**, University of California, Los Angeles
- Member, California State Bar
- Member, Central District of California Consumer Bankruptcy Lawyers Association
- Admitted to practice before the California courts, Federal District Courts and 9th Circuit Court

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LAW OFFICE OF GEORGEANN HUNTER NICOL, Toluca Lake, CA 2017
Attorney

For the past 15 years, Ms. Nicol's practice has focused almost exclusively in bankruptcy and bankruptcy litigation. Ms. Nicol has been a member of the California State Bar since 1984 and has represented debtors, creditors and trustees in over 400 bankruptcy cases in California. Ms. Nicol has been involved in numerous highly contested matters, adversary proceedings, trials and appeals.

LAW OFFICE OF HAVKIN & SHRAGO, Woodland Hills, CA 2012 - 2017
Of Counsel

While at Havkin & Shrago Ms. Nicol represented Chapter 7 Trustees in a wide variety of cases. In one such case, Ms. Nicol represented Wesley H. Avery, a Chapter 7 Trustee, in an extremely complicated and highly contested matter entitled: *In re Meir Asher*. This matter involved numerous contested motions of every nature and type, adversary complaints, and was ultimately settled in district court just days before a jury trial and after 4 years of litigation before Judge Jay C. Ghandi with an excellent resolution for the creditors.

Prior to becoming Of Counsel and specializing in bankruptcy law, Ms. Nicol previously represented clients in the entertainment field, labor matters, complex personal injury cases and environmental law. Drawing on her experience in these fields equipped her to assist her clients in successfully discharging their debts and defeating claims brought against them by creditors, Chapter 7 and 11 Trustees, and the Office of the United States Trustee. Ms. Nicol has prevailed for her clients in numerous nondischargability cases involving claims of fraud, misrepresentation and willful conduct. After many years of vigorously representing debtors, Ms. Nicol was asked by Wesley H. Avery, Chapter 7 Trustee, to represent him in the *In re Meir Asher* matter amongst others.

ADAM F. STEVENS

10063 Riverside Drive, Unit 2304 | Toluca Lake, CA 91610
310.487.4902 | AdamStevensLaw@gmail.com

ATTORNEY

Detail-oriented professional with a broad range of litigation and transactional experience representing both corporate and individual clients. Dedicated self-starter proficient with intellectual property, copyright, trademark, bankruptcy, and contract law. Highly motivated leader with a strong focus on client satisfaction.

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| ▪ Litigation | ▪ Law & Motion | ▪ Federal & State Court |
| ▪ Intellectual Property | ▪ Deposition & Trial Kits | ▪ Copyright |
| ▪ Bankruptcy (Ch.7) | ▪ Finance & Technology | ▪ Document Review |
| ▪ Trademarks | ▪ Contracts | ▪ Due Diligence |

EDUCATION & CREDENTIALS

- **Juris Doctor**, University of California, Los Angeles
- **Bachelor of Arts in History**, University of California, Berkeley
- Member, California State Bar (SBN 262391)
- Admitted to practice before the C.D. Cal. and N.D. Cal. U.S. District Courts

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LAW OFFICE OF GEORGEANN HUNTER NICOL, Toluca Lake, CA

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Associate

- Consumer bankruptcy.
- General civil litigation.
- Trademark prosecution.
- Copyright prosecution.
- Personal Injury.

LAW OFFICE OF ADAM STEVENS, Toluca Lake, CA

2012 - 2016

Principal

Law and motion, bankruptcy, mediation, and trial experience representing corporate and individual clients.

- Litigate Fair Debt Collection Practice Act claims on behalf of consumers in the C.D. Cal. and N.D. Cal. U.S. District Courts.
- Trademark registration and litigation, including proceedings before U.S. Patent & Trademark Office's Trademark Trial & Appeal Board.
- Representation of individual and business clients in Chapter 7 bankruptcy proceedings.

ADAM F. STEVENS

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- Representation of visual artists, authors, and musicians in copyright registration, licensing, and enforcement of intellectual property rights.
- Negotiate and draft contracts, advise clients regarding contractual language.
- General business litigation, including federal and state court law and motion practice, as well as state court trial experience.

GIBSON, DUNN & CRUTCHER LLP, Los Angeles, CA

2006 – 2012

Staff Attorney

Extensive experience working on large-scale, highly complex litigation and transactional matters on behalf of a host of corporate clients.

- Performed “issue spotting,” document, and privilege reviews in a variety of hard and soft intellectual property litigation matters, including preparation of deposition kits in both trademark and patent litigation.
- Assisted lead counsel in compiling deposition and witness kits for use in large scale, complex antitrust and technology litigation.
- Supervised contract attorney teams tasked with large-scale electronic document reviews in a range of litigation and internal investigation matters. Acted as “point person” liaising between those review teams and corresponding litigation/investigation attorney teams.
- Conducted highly sensitive due diligence reviews on behalf of corporate clients in the finance, energy, and technology sectors.

EXHIBIT B

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TRUSTEE TO EMPLOY GENERAL
BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL [11 U.S.C.
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R. 2014-1(b)(2)]

Date: [To be determined]

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23 **PARTIES IN INTEREST:**

24 Please take notice that Wesley H. Avery, the duly appointed and acting Chapter 7
25 Trustee (the "Trustee") of the bankruptcy estate (the "Estate") of the above-captioned Debtors
26 Leopoldo Almodovar Dimaguila and Teresita Ragrario Dimaguila, (the "Debtors"), in Case No. 2-
27 17166-bk-RK (the "Bankruptcy Case"), who hereby applies (the "Application") to employ who
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION BY CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE TO EMPLOY GENERAL
BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL

1 hereby applies (the "Application") to employ Georgeann Hunter Nicol, Esq. and The Law Office of
2 Georgeann Hunter Nicol ("Nicol or "Counsel"), as the Trustee's general bankruptcy counsel as of
3 July 20, 2017 pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § ("Section") 327(a). The Application is made on the basis of
4 the following facts:

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16 Estate.

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3 when, and if such funds become available and the Court approves disbursement thereof pursuant to
4 Section 330(a).

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6 **6. PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that pursuant to Loc. Bankr. R. 2014-1(b)(2),
7 any response and request for hearing on the Application must be in the form required by Local
8 Bankruptcy Rule 9013-1(f), filed with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court, located at
9 255 E. Temple Street, Ninth Floor, Los Angeles, California 90012 (the "Clerk's Office"), and served
10 upon the Trustee's proposed counsel, whose address appears in the upper left corner of the
11 first page of this Notice, no later than fourteen (14) days from the date of service of this Notice.

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13 The Trustee will set a hearing date and send out notice thereto if any such response is timely
14 received. No hearing will be held if no response and request for hearing is received. You may
15 obtain a copy of the Trustee's Application by making a written request to his proposed attorneys at
16 the address and telephone number in the upper left corner of the first page of this Notice. You may
17 obtain copies of all pleadings in the Debtors' Chapter 7 case from the Clerk's Office.

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19 Date: August 18, 2017

THE LAW OFFICE OF GEORGEANN HUNTER NICOL

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21 /s/Georgeann Hunter Nicol

(Proposed) Attorney for Wesley H. Avery Chapter 7
Trustee
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PROOF OF SERVICE OF DOCUMENT

I am over the age of 18 and not a party to this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding. My business address is:
10063 Riverside Drive, Unit 2304, Toluca Lake, CA 91610

A true and correct copy of the foregoing document entitled (*specify*): APPLICATION AND NOTICE OF APPLICATION
BY CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE TO EMPLOY GENERAL BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL [11 U.S.C. Sec. 327(a), Fed. R. Bank.
P. 2014 and Loc. Bankr. R. 2014-1(b)(2)]

will be served or was served (a) on the judge in chambers in the form and manner required by LBR 5005-2(d); and (b) in the manner stated below:

1. TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING (NEF): Pursuant to controlling General Orders and LBR, the foregoing document will be served by the court via NEF and hyperlink to the document. On (*date*) 08/19/2017, I checked the CM/ECF docket for this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding and determined that the following persons are on the Electronic Mail Notice List to receive NEF transmission at the email addresses stated below:

United States Trustee (LA) ustpreion16.la.ecf@usdoj.gov;
Wesley H. Avery (TR) wamiracle6@yahoo.com, 9jmoatrustee@gmail.com, C117@ecfcbis.com;

Harriet Goldfarb hlgoldfarb@yahoo.com;

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2. SERVED BY UNITED STATES MAIL:

On (*date*) 08/19/2017, I served the following persons and/or entities at the last known addresses in this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding by placing a true and correct copy thereof in a sealed envelope in the United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, and addressed as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration that mailing to the judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is filed.

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3. SERVED BY PERSONAL DELIVERY, OVERNIGHT MAIL, FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION OR EMAIL (*state method for each person or entity served*): Pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 5 and/or controlling LBR, on (*date*) _____, I served the following persons and/or entities by personal delivery, overnight mail service, or (for those who consented in writing to such service method), by facsimile transmission and/or email as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration that personal delivery on, or overnight mail to, the judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is filed.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

08/19/2017 Georgeann Hunter Nicol
Date Printed Name

/s/ Georgeann Hunter Nicol
Signature

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In re: Leopoldo Almodovar Dimaguila and Teresita Ragragio Dimagulia	CASE NO.: 2:17-bk-17166-RK CHAPTER: 7
	STATEMENT OF DISINTERESTEDNESS FOR EMPLOYMENT OF PROFESSIONAL PERSON UNDER FRBP 2014 (File with Application for Employment)
Debtor(s).	[No Hearing Required]

1. Name, address and telephone number of the professional (Professional) submitting this Statement:
Georgeann Hunter Nicol, SBN 116054
Law Office of Georgeann Hunter Nicol
10063 Riverside Drive, Suite 2304
Toluca Lake, CA 91610 Telephone: (323) 835-3194
2. The services to be rendered by the Professional in this case are (*specify*):
Determination of the full value and extent of the Debtor's assets and to liquidate the Estates's ownership in same
and to offer legal advice to the Trustee and to prosecute any other actions related to the administration of the Estate.
3. The terms and source of the proposed compensation and reimbursement of the Professional are (*specify*):
Subject to prior court approval after services are rendered and based on availability of funds in the estate.

4. The nature and terms of retainer (i.e., nonrefundable versus an advance against fees) held by the Professional are *(specify)*:
No retainer has been or will be paid.
5. The investigation of disinterestedness made by the Professional prior to submitting this Statement consisted of *(specify)*:
Review of docket, petition and creditor list.
6. The following is a complete description of all of the Professional's connections with the Debtor, principals of the Debtor, insiders, the Debtor's creditors, any other party or parties in interest, and their respective attorneys and accountants, the United States trustee, or any person employed in the office of the United States trustee *(specify, attaching extra pages as necessary)*:
None.
7. The Professional is not a creditor, an equity security holder or an insider of the Debtor, except as follows *(specify, attaching extra pages as necessary)*:
None.
8. The Professional is not and was not, within 2 years before the date of the filing of the petition, a director, officer or employee of the Debtor.
9. The Professional does not have an interest materially adverse to the interest of the estate or of any class of creditors or equity security holders, by reason of any direct or indirect relationship to, connection with, or interest in, the Debtor, or for any other reason, except as follows *(specify, attaching extra pages as necessary)*:
None.
10. Name, address and telephone number of the person signing this Statement on behalf of the Professional and the relationship of such person to the Professional *(specify)*:
Georgeann Hunter Nicol, SBN 116054
Law Office of Georgeann Hunter Nicol
10063 Riverside Drive, Suite 2304
Toluca Lake, CA 91610

Telephone: (323) 835-3194
Relationship: Self

11. The Professional is not a relative or employee of the United States trustee or a bankruptcy judge, except as follows
(specify, attaching extra pages as necessary):

None.

12. Total number of attached pages of supporting documentation: _____

13. After conducting or supervising the investigation described in paragraph 5 above, I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that the foregoing is true and correct except that I declare that paragraphs 6 through 9 are stated on information and belief.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

08/19/2017

Date

Georgeann Hunter Nicol

Printed Name

/s/ Georgeann Hunter Nicol

Signature

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I am over the age of 18 and not a party to this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding. My business address is:
10063 Riverside Drive, Unit 2304 Toluca Lake, CA 91610

A true and correct copy of the foregoing document entitled: **STATEMENT OF DISINTERESTEDNESS FOR EMPLOYMENT OF PROFESSIONAL PERSON UNDER FRBP 2014** will be served or was served (a) on the judge in chambers in the form and manner required by LBR 5005-2(d); and (b) in the manner stated below:

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08/19/17

Georgeann Hunter Nicol

/s/ Georgeann Hunter Nicol

Date

Printed Name

Signature

This form is optional. It has been approved for use in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California.

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